FORM MR-RC Revised May 30, 1990 RECLAMATION CONTRACT

File Number M-057-002

Effective Date 8/31/90



## STATE OF UTAH DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION of OIL, GAS and MINING

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## RECLAMATION CONTRACT

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For the purpose of this RECLAMATION CONTRACT the terms below are defined as follows:

"NOTICE OF INTENTION" (NOI): (File No.)	M-057-002  Rock/Gravel (dike construction)		
(Mineral Mined)			
"MINE LOCATION": (Name of Mine) (Description)	evaporites (potash, sodium sulfate, sodium chloride, magnesium chloride)		
	Great Salt Lake Minerals & Chemicals Corp. 19000 Acres Solar Ponds with Associated		
	Processing PlantsGravel Pits for Dike		
	Construction/Dike Maintenance		
"DISTURBED AREA":			
(Disturbed Acres) (Legal Description)	<u>167 Acres</u>		
	Exhibit A		
"OPERATOR";			
(Company or Name) (Address)	Great Salt Lake Minerals & Chemicals Corp.		
	765 North 10500 West		
	Ogden, Utah 84402		
(Phone)	(801) 731-3100		

"OPERATOR'S REGISTERED AGENT": (Name) Max J. Reynolds (Address) Vice President - Operations 765 North 10500 West Ogden, Utah 84402 (Phone) (801) 731-3100 "OPERATOR'S OFFICER(S)": Richard Donahue, President Max J. Reynolds, VP Operations Grant Braun, VP Marketing Kenneth L. Warnick, Secretary/Treasurer "SURETY": (Form of Surety - Exhibit B) Letter of Credit "SURETY COMPANY": (Name, Policy or Acct. No.) Chase Manhattan Bank "SURETY AMOUNT": (Escalated Dollars) \$186,500 "ESCALATION YEAR": 1990 "STATE": State of Utah "DIVISION": Division of Oil, Gas and Mining "BOARD": Board of Oil, Gas and Mining **EXHIBITS**: Revision Dates: A "DISTURBED AREA": No Revisions per 1988 Filing B "SURETY": 8/31/90

This Reclamation Contract (hereinafter referred to as "Contract") is entered into between Operator and the Board.

WHEREAS, Operator is obligated to reclaim the Disturbed Area in accordance with Operator's approved Reclamation Plan and Operator is obligated to provide surety in form and amount approved by the Board, to assure reclamation of the Disturbed Area.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board and the Operator agree as follows:

- Operator agrees to conduct reclamation of the Disturbed Area in accordance with the Act and implementing regulations, the Notice of Intention, and the Reclamation Plan.
- 2. Concurrent with the execution hereof, Operator has provided surety to assure that reclamation is conducted, in form and amount acceptable to the Board, which surety is in the form of the surety attached hereto as Exhibit B and made a part hereof. The surety shall remain in full force and effect according to its terms unless modified by the Board in writing. If the surety contract expressly provides for cancellation, then, not less than 30 days, prior to the expiration date of the surety, the Operator shall provide a replacement surety in a form and amount acceptable to the Board. If the Operator fails to so provide an acceptable replacement surety, the Division may order the Operator to cease further mining activities and to begin reclamation of the site. In addition, if the Operator fails to so provide an acceptable replacement surety, the Division may call or draw upon the full amount of existing surety prior to cancellation or expiration.
- Operator agrees to pay public liability and property damage claims resulting from mining as determined by the Board or the Division, to the extent provided in the Act.
- Operator agrees to perform all duties and fulfill all reclamation requirements applicable to the mine as required by the Act and implementing rules, the Notice of Intention, and the Reclamation Plan.
- 5. The Operator's liability under this Contract shall continue in full force and effect until the Division certifies that the Operator has reclaimed the Disturbed Area in accordance with the Act and implementing rules, the Notice of Intention and the Reclamation Plan.
- 6. Operator agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the State, Board and Division from any claim, demand, liability, cost charge, suit, or obligation of whatsoever nature arising from the failure to Operator or Operator's agents, and employees, or contractor to comply with this Contract.
- 7. Operator may, at any time, submit a request to the Board to substitute surety. The Board, in its sole judgment and discretion, may approve such substitution if the substitute surety meets the requirements of the Act and the implementing rules.

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- This Contract shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of the State.
- If Operator shall default in the performance of its obligations hereunder, Operator agrees to pay all costs and expenses, including attorneys fees and costs incurred by the Division and/or the Board in the enforcement of this Contract.
- 10. Any breach of the provisions of this Contract by Operator may, at the discretion of the Division, result in an order to cease mining operations. After opportunity for notice and hearing, the Division, or Board, as appropriate, may revoke the Notice of Intention, order reclamation, or order forfeiture of the Surety, or take such other action as is authorized by law.
- 11. In the event of forfeiture of the Surety, Operator shall be liable for any additional costs in excess of the surety amount which are required to comply with this Contract. Any excess monies resulting from forfeiture of the Surety, upon completion of reclamation and compliance with this Contract, shall be returned to the rightful claimant.
- This Contract represents the entire agreement of the parties involved, and any modification must be approved in writing by the parties involved.
- 13. Each signatory below represents that he/she is authorized to execute this Contract on behalf of the named party.

SO AGREED	this	31st	day of	August	10	90

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND AMOUNT OF SURETY:

Chairman, Board of Oil, Gas and Mining

DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING:  By Director	10 - 4 - 90 Date
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STATE OF (LTOH ) ss:	
On the 4TH day of octobe appeared before me, who being duly a DIANTER. NIELSON and Mining, Department of Natural Resources edge to me that he/she executed the foregoin of the State of Utah.	is the Director of the Division of Oil, Gas  5. State of Utah, and he/she duly acknowl-
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My Commission Expires:

OPERATOR:
Operator Name: Great Salt Lake Minerals & Chemicals Corp.
By Max J. Reynolds, VP Operations  Corporate Officer - Position  Date
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March 31, 1994

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